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**REMARKS—General****Article II.**

After this amendment, claims 33-37 and 39-53 will be pending

**Summary of changes to claims**

1. The word "contains" has been replaced with "has" in claims 33, 39, and 43.  
The reason for my request is that the parent nodes do not contain the child nodes, but rather are linked to them. I.e. A parent **has** children, but parents do not generally contain children (at least not after the first 9 months). The change was in the Examiner's amendment, and this was my first chance to comment on it.
2. "sizes" was changed to "sizes or estimated sizes" in claims 34, 40, and 44.
3. Minor typographical corrections.

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**Article III. Conclusion**

The applicant has amended the claims, and believes the claims are now in condition for allowance, and requests a telephone interview with the examiner if the examiner does not agree.

Respectfully submitted,

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